

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Kirkpatrick et al.
Application No. : 10/617,949
Group Art Unit : 1614
Examiner :  Kantamneni, Shoba
Confirmation No. : 4473
Filing Date : July 10, 2003

For: ASYMMETRIC DISULFIDES AND METHODS OF USING SAME

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Examiner:

This is a Response to the Final Office Action dated June 20, 2008 in the above identified application. The Office Action set forth a three-month shortened statutory period for reply. Accordingly, this response is timely filed and is fully responsive to the Office Action.

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